

ABSTRACT

A plasma display device provided with a green color phosphor which is charged entirely with a positive potential, adsorbs only limited amounts of water, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and hydrocarbon, and not liable to 5 cause chemical reaction thereto. The green color phosphor used is any one or a combination two or more kinds of phosphors selected from among compounds defined by the general formulae of $M_{1-x} Al_{12} O_{19}:Mn_x$ (where "M" denotes one of Ca, Sr, Eu and Zn) having a magnetoplumbite crystal structure, $(Y_{1-a-y}Gd_a)$ $(Ga_{1-x}Al_x)_3$ $(BO_3)_4:Tb_y$, $(Y_{1-a-y}Gd_a)$ $(Ga_{1-x}Al_x)_3$ $(BO_3)_4:Ce_y$, Tb_y , $(Y_{1-a-y}Gd_a)$ 10 $BO_3:Tb_y$ and $(Y_{1-a-y}Gd_a)_3$ $(Ga_{1-x}Al_x)_5$ $O_{12}:Tb_y$ having any of an yttrium borate crystal structure and yttrium aluminate crystal structure.